RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The article had been repacked by the dealer into the boxes described above which failed to bear a statement of ingredients.

Libeled: 4-5-62, Dist. Minn.

CHARGE: 403(i)(2)—while held for sale, the article's label failed to bear the common or usual name of each of its ingredients.

DISPOSITION: 1-2-63. Default—destruction of the 390 boxes actually seized, because of their unfitness for food use at the time of the final decree.

28924. Peppermint lozenges (candy). (F.D.C. No. 48725. S. No. 16-852 V.)

QUANTITY: 51 cases, each containing 24 bags, at Cincinnati, Ohio.

SHIPPED: Between 1-22-63 and 2-4-63, from Chicago, Ill., by Peanut Specialty Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Bag tag) "Fresh Candy Treats * * * Old Fashioned Lozenges Ingredients * * * 10 Ozs. Manufactured By Peanut Specialty Company Chicago, Illinois."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article was approximately 5 percent short weight.

LIBELED: 3-19-63, S. Dist. Ohio.

CHARGE: 403(e)(2)—when shipped, the article failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of quantity of contents since label statement "10 Ozs." was inaccurate.

DISPOSITION: 7-30-63. Default—ordered delivered to charitable institutions.

28925. Peppermint sticks (candy). (F.D.C. No. 48850. S. No. 1-718 V.)

QUANTITY: 298 cases, each containing 24 pkgs., at Hickory, N.C.

SHIPPED: 2-7-63, from Greenville, S.C., by Meadors, Inc.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg.) "Meadors Peppermint pure sugar sticks Net Weight 6½ Oz. * * * This box contains 20 Pure Sugar Sticks * * * Meadors, Inc., Greenville, S.C."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article averaged approximately 2 percent short weight.

LIBELED: 4-19-63, W. Dist. N.C.

CHARGE: 403(e)(2)—when shipped, the article failed to bear a label containing an accurate statement of the quantity of contents, since the label statement "Net Weight 6¼ Oz." was inaccurate.

DISPOSITION: 5-15-63. Consent—claimed by Meadors, Inc., and relabeled.

28926. Chocolate nonpareils (candy). (F.D.C. No. 48818. S. No. 68-922 V.)

QUANTITY: 311/2 cases, each containing 24 16-oz. bags, at Baltimore, Md.

SHIPPED: On 2-20-63 and 3-8-63, from Westville, N.J., by Letty Lane Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Bag) "Letty Lane Chocolate Nonpareils * * * Ingredients * * * Artificial Flavoring * * * Letty Lane Co., Westville, N.J."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed the article to be flat, discshaped, dark brown pieces of candy having one surface entirely coated with white confectionery beads. The article was contained in a clear plastic bag on which the manufacturer's name and address and the statement of ingredients were printed in white ink and were inconspicuous due to lack of contrast with the white coated candy in the background.

LIBELED: 3-25-63, Dist. Md.

CHARGE: 403(f)—when shipped, the information required under 403(e)(1), 403(i)(2), and 403(k), namely, the name and address of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor, the statement of ingredients, and the declaration of artificial flavoring, was not prominently placed thereon with such conspicuousness (as compared with other words, statements, designs, or devices, in the labeling) as to render it likely to be read by the ordinary individual under customary conditions of purchase and use.

DISPOSITION: 7-31-63. Consent—destruction because article had spoiled.

SUGAR AND SIRUP

28927. Sugar. (F.D.C. No. 48676. S. No. 19-025 V.)

QUANTITY: 130 100-lb. bags, at Oklahoma City, Okla., in possession of Central Dairy Products Co.

SHIPPED: 8-17-62, from Three Oaks, La.

LIBELED: 1-18-63, W. Dist. Okla.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent urine; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 2-4-63. Consent—claimed by Central Dairy Products Co. Segregated; 6,400 lbs. destroyed.

28928. Sirup. (F.D.C. No. 48131. S. No. 58-682 T.)

QUANTITY: 835 cases, each containing 12 12-oz. btls., at Columbus, Ohio.

SHIPPED: 8-28-62, from Oakland, Nebr., by General Syrup Corp.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "Syrup 85% Cane 15% Maple Food Club * * * Distributed by Topco Associates, Inc. Chicago, Illinois."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Investigation disclosed that the shipper added imitation maple flavor to the sirup.

LIBELED: 9-28-62, S. Dist. Ohio.

Assistant.

CHARGE: 403(i)(2)—when shipped, the article failed to bear a label containing the common or usual name of each ingredient; and 403(k)—the article contained an artificial flavor, namely, imitation maple flavor, and its labeling failed to state that fact.

DISPOSITION: 10-29-62. Claimed by General Syrup Corp., and ordered released for relabeling.

DAIRY PRODUCTS

BUTTER

28929. Butter. (F.D.C. No. 47365. S. Nos. 4-383 T, 25-905 T.)

INFORMATION FILED: 9-14-62, N. Dist. Ohio, against Minerva Dairy, Inc., Minerva, Ohio, and Delbert L. Mueller, vice president.

SHIPPED: 11-15-61 and 12-13-61, from Ohio to West Virginia.

LABEL IN PART: "MINERVA MAID BRAND Creamery Butter MANUFACTURED BY MINERVA DAIRY INC., MINERVA, OHIO WEIGHT 1 POUND."

CHARGE: 402(b) (1)—when shipped, a valuable constituent, namely, milk fat, had been in part omitted from the article; 402(b) (2)—a product which contained less than 80 percent by weight of milk fat was substituted for butter; and 403(e) (2)—(11-15-61 shipment) the label of the article failed to contain an accurate statement of the quantity of contents.